

## **AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

Please rewrite the paragraph starting on page 2, line 22 and ending at page 3, line 9 as follows:

However, in the case in which the exchange 6 is connected to the IP network connecting device such as the IP network connecting device 1, the IP network connecting device 1 treats the exchange 6 as one extension terminal and does not recognize the extension terminals A and [[C]] B accommodated in the exchange 6. For this reason, the IP network connecting device 1 transmits, to the router, a voice packet having a priority of the exchange 6 set, (see a packet P2 in Fig. 20). In the conventional art, accordingly, only one priority can be set to each extension terminal accommodated in an exchange. In other words, in the conventional art, a priority cannot be set to each extension terminal accommodated in the exchange. Consequently, only a low priority can be set to an extension terminal to which a high priority should [[be]] have been set, so that proper communication quality cannot be provided.